## HB 7192: AN ACT CONCERNING MUNICIPAL AND REGIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AND EFFICIENCIES

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To: Chairpersons and Members of the Planning & Development Committee

I am writing to express my strong opposition to HB 7192, specifically sections 7-10 that are the same as Sections 1-4 of SB 874, the Governor's Bill on school regionalization and shared services.

My family moved to Weston because of the schools and their quality of education. I believe local control of schools is what made it possible. The cost savings from consolidation are vague and questionable but the negative impact on the quality of education is obvious.

I hope you will oppose HB 7192, SB 738 and any other effort to force consolidation of Connecticut public schools.

Thank you,

Katsiaryna